GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PREVENTIVE DETENTION - Detention order passed against Smt. Geddada Raghava, W/o Satyanarayana, Age 52 years, R/o D.No 1-13, Pandrawada village, Samalkot Mandal, Kakinada District, Andhra Pradesh State, by the Collector & District Magistrate, Kakinada District, Kakinada and approved by the Government, under the A.P. Prevention of Dangerous Activities of Bootleggers, Dacoits, Drug Offenders, Goondas, Immoral Traffic Offenders and Land Grabbers Act, 1986 (Act No: 1 of 1986) – Confirmed - Orders – Issued.

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GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SC-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.1776 Dated:24-09-2025.

Read the following: -

1. From the Collector & District Magistrate, Kakinada District, Kakinada, Letter No.54849/M1, Dated: 05-08-2025, together with Proceedings No.54849/M1, Dated: 02-08-2025.
2. Radio Message Lr.No.SPWR/JR./1580/2025, Dated: 05-08-2025, received from Superintendent, Special Prison for Women, Rajamahendravaram.
3. G.O.RT.NO.1495, General Administration (SC-I) Department, Dated: 12-08-2025.
4. W.M.No:2932834/SC-I/A3/2025-1, Dated: 12-08-2025.
5. Letter No.2932834/SC-I/A3/2025-2, General Administration (SC-I) Department, Dated: 20-08-2025.
6. Memo No. 2932834/SC-I/A3/2025-3, General Administration (SC-I) Department, Dated: 01-09-2025.
7. From the Chairman, Advisory Board Report on Preventive detentions Opinion & Minutes of the meeting Dated: 02.09.2025.

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ORDER:

WHEREAS, the Collector & District Magistrate, Kakinada District, Kakinada, has made an order of detention, vide proceedings 1st read above under Section-3(2) r/w Section 2(b) of the Andhra Pradesh Prevention of Dangerous Activities of Bootleggers, Dacoits, Drug Offenders, Goondas, Immoral Traffic Offenders and Land Grabbers Act, 1986 (Act No.1 of 1986), against Smt. Geddada Raghava, W/o Satyanarayana, Age 52 years, R/o D.No 1-13, Pandrawada village, Samalkot Mandal, Kakinada District, Andhra Pradesh State.

2. The Collector & District Magistrate, Kakinada District, Kakinada has informed that Smt. Geddada Raghava, W/o Satyanarayana is habitually and continuously engaging herself in the illegal possession and sale of Illicitly Distilled (ID) liquor, in contravention of the provisions of Section 7(A) r/w 8(e) of the Andhra Pradesh Prohibition (Amendment) Act, 1995 (Amended as 2020). She indulged in bootlegging activities in the manner prejudicial to the public health

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and public order and she has involved in 06 cases. She is spoiling the health of people by manufacturing and selling ID Liquor to the local persons and making them addicted to ID Liquor. Thus the above individual has been spoiling/disturbing the society/Community at length leading to health related issues and law and order problems not only in Pandrawada village, Samalkot Mandal. Hence her activities are dangerous to the society and needs to be curtailed and in the above cases after analysis the contraband seized is found to be illicitly distilled liquor containing fusel oil as such unfit for human consumption and injurious to health. She is repeatedly indulging herself in committing the offences of possession, supply & sale of I.D. Liquor in contravention of section 7(A) r/w 8(e) of AP Prohibition (Amendment) Act 2020 which comes under the category of "BOOTLEGGER" as defined U/Sections 2 (b) of "The Andhra Pradesh Prevention of Dangerous activities of Bootleggers, Dacoits, Drug Offenders, Goondas, Immoral Traffic Offenders and Land Grabbers Act, 1986 and it is necessary to make an order invoking powers conferred under Sec 3 (2) of the Act (Act No.1 of 1986) directing that Smt. Geddada Raghava, W/o Satyanarayana, Age 52 years, R/o D.No 1-13, Pandrawada village, Samalkot Mandal, Kakinada District, Andhra Pradesh State, be detained in Special Prison for Women, Rajamahendravaram, with immediate effect, with a view to preventing her from acting in any manner prejudicial to maintenance of public health and public order.

3. AND WHEREAS, the Government have accorded approval of the said detention order under sub-section (3) Section 3 of the Act, vide Government Orders 3rd read above.

4. AND WHEREAS, under Section 10 of the Act, Government within three weeks from the date of detention of a person under the order shall place the case before the Advisory Board on Preventive Detentions and the Advisory Board shall submit its report to Govt., within seven weeks from the date of detention under Section 11(1) of the said Act. The above said case was placed before the Advisory Board constituted under Section 9 of the said Act, comprising of Justice Sri Neelam Sanjiva Reddy (Retired), Chairman and two Members for its consideration and to submit its report to Government, under Section 11 (1) of the said Act, vide letter 5th read above. The case was reviewed by the Advisory Board on 02.09.2025 through video conference. After having heard the detenu and the Investigating Officer, who have attended the Video Conference and also upon perusing the grounds of detention and the connected records, the Advisory board has unanimously opined and reported that "there is sufficient cause for the detention of the detenu.

5. AND WHEREAS, the Government after careful examination of the entire record, observed that Smt. Geddada Raghava, W/o Satyanarayana, Age 52 years, R/o D.No 1-13, Pandrawada village, Samalkot Mandal, Kakinada District, Andhra Pradesh State, is found to be involved in as many as Six (06) cases mentioned in the grounds of detention. All the instances mentioned clearly establish that she is an habitual offender and her activities are habitual in nature and which are registered under various Sections, i.e. U/s 7(A) r/w 8(e) of A.P. Prohibition

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(Amendment) Act, 1995 (Amended as 2020). As such, the activities of the individual falls under and within the meaning of "Bootlegger" as defined under section 2(b) of Act 1 of 1986. The detaining authority having taken into account and consideration of indulgence of the detenu in the above said activities repeatedly at regular intervals and having satisfied that the penal laws have failed to curb her illegal activities, has passed the detention order against the detenu by invoking the provisions under the Act 1 of 1986, in order to prevent her from indulging further in such activities, which are prejudicial to maintenance of public order. The Advisory Board after review of the case, has opined that there is sufficient cause for the detention of the detenu. As such, the detenu deserves the maximum period of detention, as provided under Section 13 of the Act.

6. Now, therefore, after due consideration of the report of the Advisory Board and the material available on record, and in exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (1) of Section 12 read with Section 13 of the said Act, the Order of Detention made by the Collector & District Magistrate, Kakinada District, Kakinada, in the proceedings 1st read above, as approved in the G.O.3rd read above are hereby confirmed by the Government. The detention of Smt. Geddada Raghava, W/o Satyanarayana, Age 52 years, R/o D.No 1-13, Pandrawada village, Samalkot Mandal, Kakinada District, Andhra Pradesh State, shall be for a period of 12 (Twelve) months from the date of her detention, i.e. 02.08.2025 under Section 13 r/w Section 12(1) of the said Act 1/1986.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K. VIJAYANAND
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Smt. Geddada Raghava, W/o Satyanarayana, Age 52 years, R/o D.No 1-13, Pandrawada village, Samalkot Mandal, Kakinada District, Andhra Pradesh State,through the Superintendent of Jails, Special Prison for Women, Rajamahendravaram.

The Superintendent of Jails, Special Prison for Women, Rajamahendravaram (He should serve the Order on the detenue immediately under proper dated acknowledgment and arrange to read over and explain the contents of the same in the language known to the detenue and report compliance to the Government forthwith)

The Collector & District Magistrate, Kakinada District, Kakinada.

The Station House Officer, Proh & Excise Station Kakinada North, Kakinada District.

Copy to:

The Director General of Police, A.P., Mangalagiri, Guntur District,.

The Director General of Prisons and Correctional Services, A.P.,Vijayawada.

The Additional Director General of Police (Intelligence), A.P., Vijayawada.

The Spl. G.P., Attached to Learned Advocate General, A.P. High Court, Nelapadu, Amaravati, Guntur District.

SF/SC (2932834).

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER (SC)